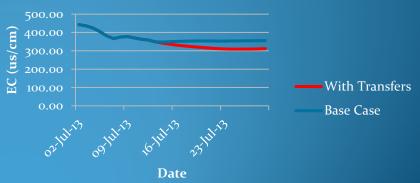


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The RTDF-CP continues to produce:

 Real time TOC, DOC, chloride, bromide, nitrate and sulfate data

 Short-term and long-term EC, bromide and DOC forecasts in addition to historical fingerprints.



New modeling efforts:



Continuous refinement of current models

Lead Investigators – Bryant Giorgi (DWR OCO) and Siqing Liu (DWR BDO)

Sacramento and San Joaquin River WARMF

DSM2 - Delta

DSM2 – Aqueduct

Historical Fingerprints



Examples of this are....

Siqing Liu's work on modifying and improving the Sacramento River and San Joaquin River WARMF models



Delta consumptive use forecasting capability element

Improvements would include:

- Up to date Delta land use surveys
- Flow gauge installation at key locations
- Improvement of Delta precipitation data collection



Improve the use of aqueduct pump-in data in the shortterm aqueduct forecasts

Lead Investigator – Bryant Giorgi (DWR OCO) Project Partner – Tony Liudzius (MWDSC)

The goal: To find out if ongoing scheduled near term pumpin data is available for use to improve the short-term water quality forecasts.



Collection, assessment and storage of aqueduct pump-in data

Lead Investigator – TBD

Project Partner – Tony Liudzius (MWDSC)

The goal: Identify, assess and store any available aqueduct pump-in data (flows and water quality) for future use by the modelers to improve the short-term aqueduct forecasts.



Comparison of water quality forecasts to actual conditions

Lead Investigator – Bryant Giorgi (DWR OCO) Project Partner – Elaine Archibald (SWPCA)

The goal: To gain a better understanding of the various models by comparing them to actual conditions



Improvement of the DSM2 nutrient model

Lead Investigator – Hari Rajbhandari (DWR BDO) Project Partner – Elaine Archibald (SWPCA)

The goal: To further improve the capability of simulating Delta nutrient dynamics using the DSM2 QUAL model.



Inclusion of additional wastewater treatment plant outflows to the BDO fingerprint model

Lead Investigator – Siqing Liu (DWR BDO) and MWQI Staff Project Partner – Elaine Archibald (SWPCA)

The goal: The addition of outflow contributions from other Delta affecting WWTP's to the fingerprint.



Potential planning studies

Lead Investigator – TBD Project Partner – TBD

The goal: To investigate the need for planning studies based on project operations under assumed conditions and goals.



Development of the Artificial Neural Network (ANN) by TETRA TECH

Lead Investigator – Sujoy Roy and Limin Chen (Tetra Tech)
Project Partner – Paul Hutton (MWDSC)



Data Dissemination

The newly updated (coming soon) MWQI, RTDF-CP web page

http://portal-

dev.water.ca.gov/waterquality/drinkingwater/rtdf rprt.cfm



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